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## SELECT POETRY.

### ONLY ONE LEFT.

So the gold has come—Jim's got his due,
The gold he talked and dreamed about,
That should always have been his own he knew—
But a quibble of law had kept him out.

It's come at last, and it seems so strange,
I wonder now how we shall feel,
How shall we bear the marvelous change,
Never to worry about a meal.

He must have a coat that will keep out rain,
And cuffs and shirt fronts white as milk;
And I'll have a gown that will rustle again—
Fancy Jim Maberley's wife in silk!

And Charlie—why the stuff's not wove
That will be too bonnie and rich for the lad,
We'll wrap him round with our wealth like love,
And make all his life so bright and glad.

He'll grow quite rosy and stout of limb
With purer air, and warmth, and sun,
We mustn't mind what we do for him,
For there's only one left to us now—only one.

Oh, Jenny and Dick, why didn't you live
Just till we found this wonderful gold?
We gave you the best we had to give,
And you died of hunger and want and cold.

I know you're safe with God above,
I know you never feel grief or pain,
And I ought to be glad—but oh, I'd love
To hold you both in my arms again.

Oh, darling, if you look down here
And see little Charlie so grandly dressed,
While your poor lives were so blank and drear;
Don't fancy that mother loves him the best.

I half begrudge his childish joys;
Why should he have what the others lacked—
Food, and warmth, and clothes and toys—
While they with fever and pain were racked?

Well, I mustn't murmur, it seems so wrong,
For Jim was growing sullen and mad,
Being kept out or his rights so long;
Injustice makes a man feel bad.

We must do our best with our well-filled purse
In the new strange life that's just begun;
Only one left! Well, it might be worse,
But it seems so sad—only one—only one!

## SELECT STORY.

### THE YELLOW ROSES.

One evening, about two years ago, I went to spend a couple of hours with my dear old friend and neighbor, Madame de Lorgerel. Aware of her extreme fondness for flowers, I took with me a bunch of yellow roses, her especial favorites. On this evening, as on many another, I found her with an old gentleman, who had about a year before come into that neighborhood to take possession of an adjoining property, left him by a distant relative on condition he would change his name to that of Descoudrais. I was quite jealous of the intimacy that soon had sprung up between him and my dear old friend.

On the evening in question they were busy over a game of "tric-trac." I entered softly so as not to disturb them, and waited until the game was over to present my roses. Madame de Lorgerel's face was brightened with genuine delight, but to my astonishment, Monsieur Descondraies became most strangely abstracted and thoughtful.

"Would you believe it, my friend," he said, at length, "those flowers have evoked, as if by enchantment, a whole epoch of my youth. For a few moments I was again twenty years of age and in love with a woman, who, if living, must now be fully sixty years old. I will tell you the whole story, one that influenced my whole after-life—even now, when old age has left me barely energy enough to play at tric-trac, the remembrance of my youthful love fills me with emotion."

"Over forty years ago, just after I had left college, my father, without consulting me, sought to obtain a post for me in a certain regiment quartered in the little town of X—, for which place I received orders to depart at once. This was distressing news for more than one reason: I had no special love for the army, though that objection was no great one, as at that time of my life the mere sight of a gay uniform, or the sound of martial music, sufficed to fire my ambition into becoming a Cæsar or an Achilles. But, worst of all, I was in love, and dared not tell my father, whose answer, I knew, would have been an order hastening my departure. Fortunately, I had an uncle—and what an uncle! At that time he was as old as I am now, though still retaining all the vigor and freshness of youth. He was the confidant of our follies, loves, debts and aspirations. I went to him:

"Uncle, I am most unhappy."

"I bet twenty louis you are not!"

"Ah, uncle, do not jest—besides you would lose your bet."

"If I lose, I pay. Perhaps that might help to console you."

"No; money has nothing to do with my wretchedness. Father has just accepted a lieutenancy for me in the—— Regiment."

"A misfortune, indeed! The uniform is most becoming, and all the officers are gentlemen."

"But, uncle, I do not wish to be a soldier."

"Not be a soldier! Are you a coward, by chance?"

"I do not yet know, uncle; nevertheless, I know you are the only man might dare doubt my courage."

"Well, Cid, my boy, what is your objection to the army?"

"I wish to marry."

"Nonsense!"

"Nonsense or no nonsense, I am in love."

"And you call *that* a misfortune! I wish I were in love myself. Who is she?"

"Oh, uncle! an angel!"

"Of course—I knew that before; they always *are* angels. What I ask is to what name your angel answers when they call her?"

"Naomi."

"Humph! Naomi may be enough for you; but I would like to know what family this angel belongs."

"She is a Miss Amelot."

"Indeed! Then she is truly an angel. A tall, graceful brunette, with dark eyes, soft as velvet. I approve your choice."

"And if you but knew her"—

"I *do* know her. Does she love you?"

"I do not know."

"What! not know! You are unworthy of me. At her house every evening, and yet not know if she loves you!"

"She does not even know of my love."

"Pshaw! little you know about it. She knew you loved her at least fifteen minutes before you knew it yourself."

"What I do know, at all events, is that I will die if she be not mine!"

"Oh, no! Softly my boy. There are many reasons why she should not be yours. Your father is far richer than hers, and would never consent to the match."

"In that case, uncle, I know what I will do—"

"Nonsense! Do nothing silly. Listen to me. You cannot marry at twenty."

"Why not?"

"Because I do not wish it, and without me this marriage can never take place."

"Oh, dear uncle, I beg—"

"If the girl loves you, and is willing to wait three years—"

"Three years!"

"Peace, or I shall say four. If she is willing, then, to wait three years, you will join your regiment—"

"Oh, uncle!"

"But not this one. I shall have you exchanged into one quartered within a few miles, and you may come home for three months every year until the term of probation is over."

"Well, if it must be— But how shall I know if she loves me?"

"Why, ask her, of course."

"Oh, I should never dare."

Well, then, obey your father, and pack off at once."

"Ah, uncle, you do not know Naomi. A hundred times have I tried to declare my passion; I have even composed speeches, and learned them by heart; but at the moment of speaking my courage wanes, and each word chokes me. Her expression is so sweet, but yet so grave. The man worthy of her is not born! Writing was useless. When my effusions were penned and ready to be sent, their utter foolishness struck me so forcibly that I was at pains to tear my notes into small pieces."

"Nevertheless, you must make up your mind to speak at once. Your father has not told you all; he sends you to Clermont because his friend, the colonel's daughter, is destined to become your bride. It would indeed be a good match—no protestations—all this is as nothing, if you are really in love with Naomi. Love is folly—but is a kind of folly I should regret never having been guilty of. Old people may call it nonsense, but perchance the nonsense is theirs. If the girl loves you, you must sacrifice all for her—'tis stupid, maybe, but right. We must first ascertain if she loves you, and now is the time, for they seek to marry her. Ah, ha! that makes you shudder and grow pale! You long to have your rival at sword's point, as we used to say in my young days. Well, courage; face your beautiful Naomi. If you are richer than she, her intended husband is richer than you, besides having a title and being quite ready for the ceremony; her trousseau is even being made. You are not prepared; go to her, declare your love—she knows it, but one is always expected to make the declaration. If she loves you—she must, for you are handsome, young and clever. If she is willing to wait, write me so in a letter which I may keep; then I will prevent this other affair, get your exchange, and in three years marry you to Naomi in spite of your father—in spite of the devil himself!"

"Uncle, I have an idea."

"Well?"

"I will write to her."

"Very well."

After leaving my dear uncle I set about writing that note. The writing was no difficult matter, for I had done it a hundred times before; the puzzle was how to give it her. However, there was no time for indecision, so I soon made up my mind, and having purchased a bunch of roses, I slipped my declaration in among the flowers. I still recall the words of that note. After declaring my passion, I besought Naomi to love me a little in return, and to wait three years for me. If she consented, I asked her, as a sign, to wear one of my roses that evening. Then would I dare to speak of my—of our future plans."

"Ah! you hid that note in the bouquet?" breathlessly interrupted Madame Lorgerel.

"Yes, madame."

"And then?"

"Well, Naomi wore no flower that evening. I was desperate, and in my misery sought to take my life. My good uncle took me to Clermont, stayed there two months, and did all in his power to distract my thoughts from Naomi, declaring she never could have really cared for me."

"But uncle," I used to object, "she always seemed so pleased to see me, and reproached me so gently when I came later than usual."

"Women seek the love of all men, but care for very few."

At length I succeeded in banishing Naomi's image from my heart. I married the colonel's daughter, who, eight years later, left me a childless widower; my dear uncle has been long dead, and I am now alone in the world. Would you believe it my friends?—I often to this day think of Naomi, and she is still to me, though now quite an old lady, the Naomi of my story—my first love—a tall, graceful girl, with auburn hair, and, so my uncle used to say, black velvet eyes.

"You know not what became of her?"

"No, madame."

"Then your name is not "Descoudraies?"

"No; that is the name of my uncle's estate; mine is d'Altheim."

"I knew it!"

"Why?—how?"

"I will tell you what became of Naomi—she loved you."

"But the note—the roses?"

"She never found your note. Your sudden departure cost her many bitter tears, and then she married Monsieur de Lorgerel."

"M. de Lorgerel!"

"Whose widow I am."

Then you—you are Naomi Amelot?"

"Yes; just as you are, or rather, as you are not, the Edmond d'Altheim of my youth."

"To think we should meet one day as strangers!"

"Yes, and then only to play at tric-trac."

"The roses—"

"Are here. I always kept them."

And Madame de Lorgerel, with hands that trembled slightly, drew from an ebony cabinet, near by, the withered bunch of yellow roses.

"Unfasten them, quick!" exclaimed Monsieur Descoudraies. She did so, and there among the flowers, now at most dust, found the note, where it had lain concealed for two-and-forty years.
—*San Francisco Argonaut.*

### Horseshoes for Luck.

"The principal gateway at Allahabad is thickly studded with horseshoes of every size and make. There are hundreds of them nailed all over the great gates, doubtless the offerings of many a wayfarer who has long since finished his earthly pilgrimage. We could not find out what was the exact idea connected with this custom—probably much the same notion of luck as we attach to finding a horseshoe, especially one with the old nails still in their place. We afterward noticed that the sacred gates of Somnath, preserved in the Fort at Agra, are similarly adorned. It reminded us of that curious old manorial rite still kept up at Oakham, in Rutlandshire, where every peer of the realm is bound the first time he enters the town to present a horseshoe to be nailed on the old portal, which is well nigh covered with these lordly tributes. It is said that in case any contumacious peer should refuse to pay this tax the authorities have a right to stop his carriage and levy their black-mail by unshoeing one of the horses. To avert so serious an annoyance the tribute shoe is generally ready, some being of enormous size and inscribed with the name of the donor. Whether these Eastern horshoes were taxes or offerings I cannot tell, but it certainly is very curious to observe how widespread is the superstitious reverence attached to this particular form. It has been suggested, and apparently with some reason, that in ancient pagan times it may have been a recognised symbol in serpent-worship, and hence may have arisen its common use as a charm against all manner of evil. The resemblance is obvious, more especially to that species of harmless snake which is rounded at both ends, so that the head and tail are apparently just alike, The creature moves backward or forward at pleasure; hence the old belief that it actually had two heads and was indestructible, as even when cut into two parts it was supposed that the divided heads would seek one another and reunite. It stands to reason that in a snake-worshiping community such a creature would be held in high reverence. Even in Scotland, various ancient snake-like bracelets and ornaments have been found which seems to favor this theory, and at a very early period both snakes and horseshoes seem to have been engraven as symbols on sacred stones. We hear of the latter having been sculptured not only on the threshold of old London houses, but even on that of ancient churches in various parts of Britain. And in the present day we all know the idea of luck connected with finding one, and how constantly they are nailed up on houses, stables, and ships as a charm against witchcraft. In Scotland, all parts of England, and Wales, and especially in Cornwall, (where not only on vans and omnibuses, but sometimes even on the grim old gates of the old jail,) we may find this curious trace of ancient superstition. Whatever may have been its origin, it certainly is remarkable that it should survive both in Britain and Hindustan.—*The Gentleman's Magazine.*

### Books Made of Clay.

Far away beyond the plains of Mesopotamia, on the banks of the river Tigris, lie the ruins of the ancient city of Ninevah. Not long since huge mounds of earth and stone marked the place where the palaces and walls of the proud capital of the great Assyrian Empire stood. The spade, first of the Frenchman, then of the englishman, has cleared all the earth away and laid bare all that remains of the old streets and palaces where the princes of Assyria walked and lived. The gods they worshipped and the books they read have all been revealed to the wondering world. The most curious of all the curious things preserved in this wonderful manner are the clay books of Nineveh. The chief library of Nineveh was contained in the palace of Konyunjik. The clay books which it contains are composed of sets of tablets covered with very small writing. The tablets are oblong in shape, and when several of them are used for one book, the first line of the tablet following was written at the end of the one preceding it. The writing on the tablets was, of course, done when the clay was soft, and then it was baked to harden it. Then each tablet or book was numbered and assigned to a place in the library with a corresponding number, so that the librarian could easily find it, just as our own librarians of to-day number the books we read. Among these books are to be found collections of hymns (to the gods), descriptions of animals and birds, stones and vegetables, as well as history, travels, etc. The Assyrians and Babylonians were great students of astronomy. The method of telling time by the sun and of marking it by the instrument called a sundial was invented by the latter nation. None of our modern clocks and watches can be compared to the sun-dial for accuracy. Indeed, we have to regulate our modern inventions by the ancient Babylonian system.—*Printers' Circular.*

The following are said to be the seventeen American inventions of world-wide adoption: "The cotton gin, the planing machine, the grass mower and reaper, the rotary printing press, steam navigation, the hot air machine, the sewing machine, the India rubber industry, the machine manufacture of horshoes, the sand blast for graving, the gauge lathe, the grain elevator, artificial ice making on a large scale, the electro magnet in its practical application, the telephone and the mint julep."

What promised to be a pure love match was broken off the other day when a philadelphia man discovered that his intended bride had used four eggs in making a pie when eggs were forty-five cents a dozen. After worrying about it for a week he concluded that a woman so extravagant would bankrupt him in five years.

A sewing machine agent was recently attacked by a fierce catamount, near Milford. Strange as it may appear the catamount escaped without being struck with one of the machines.

### Talmage's Stirring Advice.

At the Commencement exercises of the Pierce College of Business of Philadelphia, last week, Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage of Brooklyn, gave the following good advice in his own peculiar way: He was glad to find the graduating class composed of young women as well as men and wished there were more women in business. It would be better for the merchants of the country if they would introduce more women into commercial life. No man had ever yet committed a dishonorable act, had absconded or forged notes who had first consulted with his wife. He advised the graduates to concentrate their lives in one direction—to choose an occupation and stick to it. As a general rule the best mason sticks to his trowel, the carpenter to his plane, the lawyer to his brief, the minister to his pulpit, the fireman to one locomotive, the navigator to one ship at a time, the professor to one department. The mighty men of all ages have been men of one occupation—Thorwaldsen as a sculptor, Irving as a writer, Rothchild as a banker, Forrest as an actor, Brunel as an engineer, Ross as a navigator and Punch as a joker. Sometimes a man is prepared by Providence for some great mission. Hugh Miller climbed through the quarries of Cromarty to his high work, but generally by thirty years of age a man or woman's occupation is decided and there will be success in that direction if thoroughly followed.

"It does not matter," said Mr. Talmage," what you do, so far as success is concerned, if you do it to the best of your ability. Brandreth made a fortune out of pills, Adams by expressage, VanNess by harness, Cooper out of glue and Jennen out of hats. Contractors make fortunes by manufacturing shoddy, merchants by putting sand in sugar, beet-juice in vinegar, chicory in coffee and lard in butter. Are you a merchant, you will find a sweep for the energies which absorbed a Brunel and a Leanox. If a lawyer, there is a scope for the height and depth of intellect of a Marshall, a McLain, a Story and a Kent. Are you a physician, then you can waste but little time outside of a profession which was the pride of a Rush, a Harvey, a Cooper and a Sydenham."

### Chicago Cheek.

"May I have this seat?" she asked of the genteel-looking drummer whose baggage was occupying it.

"I don't know ma'am," he answered politely. "It belongs to the railroad, you know, but I'll see the conductor, and maybe he can give it to you,"

She grew purple and said:

"You don't understand me. I mean can I take it?"

"Well, I don't know that, either. You see it is fastened very firmly to the car floor, and would be troublesome to get up; however. I'll have a carpenter to come on board at the next station and ask his advice."

"I don't want to take the old thing," she howled. "Is this your strap on it?"

"No'm," blandly answered the drummer, "they belong to the firm I travel for."

"Well, can I sit down here," she finally screamed, after shifting from one foot to the other.

"I don't know, madam; you are the best judge of your muscular powers."

"Where do you travel from?" she screamed.

"Chicago," he replied.

"That settles it," she said meekly; "will you please move your valise and permit me to occupy a small portion of this seat?"

"Certainly," he replied, why didn't you say that at first?"

The train sped on, while he sat counting up his expenses, and she wondering if Chicago cheek had any equal under the sun.

### The Two Interesting Operations Performed on a Hospital Patient.

There was performed at the Philadelphia Hospital last week the second of two curious surgical operations. Early in January Anthony Weaver, a forty-year-old Swiss carpenter, was admitted to the hospital, suffering from a tumor in the throat. While the tumor did not prevent the reception of liquid food breathing was almost impossible. To relieve the stricture tracheotomy was performed, an incision being made in the trachea and a tube inserted. Through this tube the patient has breathed for nearly six months. Recently a new complication appeared. An unlooked-for impediment in the throat prevented the passage of even liquid food into the stomach. In this emergency a consultation was held by the staff and Drs. Janney, Pancoast, White, Porter and Roberts performed what is known as gastrotomy. An incision was made in the abdomen and the abdominal walls and the stomach were sewed together. Into the incision a silver tube was inserted. Food will be passed into the man's stomach through the tube. The case has attracted considerable attention and the result of the latter operation is awaited with considerable interest by physicians. There is now at the Jefferson Hospital a woman upon whom the same operation was successfully performed several weeks ago. If she dies, it will be from the tumor and not from the effects of the operation.

Workers in ornamental wood now assert that yellow pine, hard finished in oil, is the rival in beauty of any wood that grows, not excepting the costliest of the hard species, it being susceptible of receiving and maintaining as high a degree of polish as any known wood, while, when impregnated with oil, is almost indestructible. In such a condition it is impervious to hot grease and other substances that leave an ineffaceable stain upon white pine, maple and various other woods.

It has been stated, and some sportsmen will no doubt be sorry to hear it, that a fishing pole has been invented that registers every fish caught. This will do away with all fish stories, inasmuch as the angler with a pole that doesn't register will always be regarded with suspicion.

George Elliot's letters, soon to be published, are said to abound with personal touches describing personages whose names are in every one's mouth. This means that he has written about Hogg, Lamb and Bacon.

### A Return of Confidence After the Election, and Consequently Better Times.

William H. Vanderbilt, who was interviewed a day or two ago on the business outlook said: "After the Presidential election is over we shall have a return of confidence and consequently better times. I know lots of people who are foolishly converting their assests into money and placing it in their boxes in the safe deposit vaults where it can earn nothing, instead of investing it in securities of known value at the prevailing abnormal and panicky prices. It is all a matter of confidence. Why, I know one instance of a man who has stored a lot of specie in his house and had a burglar alarm attached to all windows and sleeps with a revolver under his pillow. His second night's experience proved a ludicrous one. One of the family came in late, and not knowing how the burglar alarm worked, set it off. Out comes the pistol of my friend and he bangs away, hitting a valuable mirror and creating a panic in the household." Mr. Vanderbilt, however, keeps his own vault carefully guarded, and it is believed that his slumbers are not as sound as they might be.

### All About the Mosquito.

Somebody, writing about the mosquito, gives a sort of

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B. F. Jones of Pittsburg has been elected chairman of the Republican National committee. He has plenty of "soap."

The Cleveland boom seems to be taking a rest, while the chances of Randall and Bayard are improving. It is impossible to guess what the result of the Chicago convention may be.

The Republican press is very busy nowadays endeavoring to show the Democracy that Governor Cleveland ought not to be nominated for President. He may be named, however, in spite of John Kelly, Ben Butler and the Republican party.

J. Blake Walters, who was chief clerk of the Treasury Department under Treasurer Noyes, died at Harrisburg on Monday. He was a staunch Democrat, and his amiable qualities made him friends all over the State. His death resulted from blood poisoning.

While the large iron makers are contributing to the $20,000 subsidy for the Philadelphia *Press*, to pay for the circulation of that journal among the working classes, they are reducing the wages of operatives from 10 to 20 per cent. In other words, they contribute towards the support of a paper that advocates monopoly, and then reduce the wages of the men to make up the subscription, so that the free circulation of the *Press* is paid for out of the pockets of the laborer. This is free reading with a vengeance.

On Monday, Senator Cameron moved to discharge the committee from the further consideration of the bill providing for the redemption of trade dollars. The republican senate defeated the motion which means that the bill will die in the committee. Trade dollars will therefore continue to be worth 85 cents, and those who hold them must continue to hold them for an indefinite period, or lose the difference. Legislation on this subject is demanded by the whole country, and the republican party is responsible for its failure.

The continued depression in the steel industry has compelled the managers of the Pennsylvania Steel Works, near Harrisburg, to give notice of a reduction in wages of 10 per cent. As the alternative is a reduction or a suspension, 10 per cent less wages or none at all, it is hardly probable the workmen will resist the reduction, however disagreeable to them the step which the company is obliged to take.—*Press*

Perhaps the *Press* can explain satisfactorily to the people why it is that there is such depression in the iron and steel works of this country. These industries are protected by a tariff law passed by a republican congress, and we are daily informed that the "grand old party" is the only one that fosters the manufacturing interests of the nation, and that a high protective tariff means high wages, and general prosperity. For years the iron trade has been dull, and many of the great industries have languished under the fostering care of the Republican party, and still they plead to be kept in power in order that this condition of things may continue. We are in favor of a protective tariff as we believe the majority of the Democratic party is, but the claim of the Republican organs that the prosperity of the country depends upon the election of a Republican President is a false pretense, and a sham that has played itself out. The stagnation in business is a simple case of too much supply for the demand, and can regulate only itself when the demand equals the supply. No political party can regulate it. The Democratic party does not favor free trade. In fact we know of no one who favors absolute free trade. What is demanded is a tariff reform that will reduce the cost of necessary articles, get rid of the surplus of one hundred millions in the treasury, abolish the internal revenue tax, and at the same time protect American industries for the benefit of the laboring classes, and not simply for the protection of monopolies. To claim that the success of any party will start up the hundreds of furnaces and rolling mills that are now idle is as preposterous as it is false, and it is about time for the Republican party to begin to talk sense on this subject.

### Electoral Vote, 1884.—New Apportionment.

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| Alabama | 10 | New Hampshire | 4 |
| Arkansas | 7 | New Jersey | 9 |
| California | 8 | New York | 36 |
| Colorado | 3 | North Carolina | 11 |
| Connecticut | 6 | Ohio | 23 |
| Delaware | 3 | Oregon | 3 |
| Florida | 4 | Pennsylvania | 30 |
| Georgia | 12 | Rhode Island | 4 |
| Illinois | 22 | South Carolina | 9 |
| Indiana | 15 | Tennessee | 12 |
| Iowa | 13 | Texas | 10 |
| Kansas | 9 | Vermont | 4 |
| Kentucky | 13 | Virginia | 12 |
| Louisiana | 8 | West Virginia | 6 |
| Maine | 6 | Wisconsin | 11 |
| Maryland | 8 | | |
| Massachusetts | 14 | Total vote | 401 |
| Michigan | 13 | | |
| Minnesota | 7 | Necessary to choice | 201 |
| Mississippi | 9 | Election day, Nov. 4 | |
| Missouri | 16 | Electoral Colleges meet December 3rd. | |
| Nebraska | 5 | | |
| Nevada | 3 | | |

### Peddling His Rules.

From the Chicago Times.

(1) As speaker, Mr. Blaine made a ruling that assured the passage of a bill granting a big land subsidy to the Little Rock Railway Company of Arkansas. (2) Three months afterward, Mr. Blaine wrote to his friend Fisher (contractor for the construction of the railway) asking him to use his good offices with Mr. Caldwell(who controlled the enterprise) to obtain from the latter a proposition to admit Mr. Blaine to an interest in its ownership. "*I do not feel*, he said, "*that I shall prove a deadhead in the enterprise if I once embark in it. I see various channels in which I know I can be useful.*" He was then speaker of the house. (3) A few days later he wrote a letter to "Dear Fisher," thanking him for his "liberal mode of dealing with me," and reiterating his desire that he should "*bring Caldwell to a definite proposition.*" It is an inference that the intermediary did not find Caldwell quite agreeable to the views of Mr. Speaker, for, (4) October 4, the latter wrote to Fisher again, telling him the story of his ruling in the speaker's chair, showing that he, as speaker, secured to the company its land grant, and concluding: "At that time had never seen Mr. Caldwell, *but you can tell him that, without knowing, I did him a great favor.*" (5) On the same day he wrote another epistle to Fisher, asking him to read the *Globe* (a Boston newspaper of lofty virtue, which he forwarded), and see how narrowly, by means of his ruling, the Little Rock land grant escaped defeat.

### Blaine Has Never Been a Dead Head.

From the Springfield Republican.

Considering that the public know only about the poor investments of Blaine, the wonder remains where his wealth came from, even conceding its moderate amount. The Spencer gun stock was a good thing, and in that, too, he never failed to "see channels" in which he could be "useful." For instance, in May, 1864, there was an internal revenue bill pending, and an amendment was put on providing that, in case of contracts with the Government, the Government, and not the contractor, should stand the loss occasioned by the new tax. That is, while the private contractor would have to pay his tax and stand it, the Government contractor would get exemption or a compensatory rebate. "I am very glad," writes Blaine to Fisher on this occasion, "all things considered, that the Government has accepted your proposition to take all your manufacture till Sept. 1, 1865. It will give a straight and steady business for the company for a good stretch of time. In regard to the tax provision * * * the provision which you inquire about was not in the original bill, but was an amendment moved from the Ways and Means Committee by Mr. Kasson of Iowa, to whom I suggested it. It is just and proper in every sense and will affect a good many interests, including your company. I am glad to hear such good accounts of your progress in the affairs of the company of which I have always been proud to be a member."

From the disclosures it is impossible to regard Mr. Blaine as other than a man speculative and risky in his private ventures, disposed to watch for "channels" in which he can make official position "useful" to private greed, and even when he had presumably acted from pardonable and proper motives to turn around and market his official record for the highest price obtainable in the wild cat bonds and blocks of chromo stock. The personal selfishness which mars a career so brilliant in acquiring popular favor not only gives a crook to his own actions, but gathers about him a class of followers and henchmen in whom the same motives are still more grossly predominant, and gives to his views of national policy a tendency to sacrifice the safe, sure far sighted, and wide-reaching policy for some immediate, empirical, showy, and probably illusory policy. Figs do not spring from thistles, or sweet waters from bitter fountains; neither does wise and sagacious statesmanship emanate from minds warped by sinister purposes and beclouded and drugged by a selfish materialism, either personal or national in its ends.

The crowning act of injustice in the Fitz John Porter case has just been consummated by President Arthur in vetoing the bill for Porter's relief.

### An Important Decision.

Judge Allison of Philadelphia has given an important interpretation of the law of banking in an opinion in the case of Harrington & Goodman against the Merchant's National Bank. The suit grew out of a deposit by the firm with the bank, in November last, of a check drawn on the Mississippi Valley Bank of Vicksburg. It was credited as a deposit, mailed to the Vicksburg bank and paid by a draft on the Hanover Bank, of New York City. Just before the deposit arrived the Vicksburg bank failed and, as it had no funds on deposit with the Hanover Bank, the latter returned the draft unpaid. The plaintiff's account was opened with the provision that their responsibility on deposited checks continued until payment had been ascertained by the bank. All these facts were admitted.

In passing judgment Judge Allison said that the majority of the court agreed in favor of the plaintiffs. He adds: "Whatever may have been the rights of the defendants as holders of the check their duty under the law required them to forward it to a correspondent or a sub-agent, with instructions to present the same for payment, and, if payment was refused, to have it returned at once. Had this been done, the rights of all parties would have been protected."

Judge Pierce filed a dissenting opinion, holding that the question in case was whether the defendant bank was guilty of such neglect as released the plaintiffs from liability as endorsers. He did not consider that it was. "The Merchants' Bank," he says, "discharged its whole duty in forwarding the check for payment and in giving prompt notice of its dishonor to the plaintiffs when they learned it was not paid."

### The Greely Relief Party.

The two advance vessels of the Greely relief expedition have already reached Smith Sound. People who thought the expedition set out too early forgot that William Baffin, who discovered the sound in 1616, was near Littleton Island in his fifty-six ton ship before the end of June, and that such Arctic authorities as Clements Markham and Dr. Kane believed that explorers should reach the edge of the middle pack before the close of May. The Greenland whalers have often demonstrated that this great ice field in Melville Bay, the only serious obstacles on the way to Smith Sound, can be crossed in May or early in June by skirting along the shore ice. Nearly a month before Greely sailed from St. Johns in 1881 fourteen whalers had passed Melville Bay, and in 1873 Budington's Polaris party were picked up in the bay by a whaler three weeks before the relief steamer sailed from New York.

It is possible that Commander Schley has before this learned the fate of Greely and his men, if they reached Littleton's Island. The chances, however, are rather against Greely's having left Discovery Harbor. Successful sledge journeys over long distances have never been made in the fall by Smith Sound explorers. Excellent authorities, like Dr. Bessels and Major Fielden, believe that Greely could not have made the journey last fall, owing to the formidable nature of Smith Sound ice and the advancing darkness. It does not seem probable, either, that a party of men who have lived three years where the arctic night is 140 days long were well prepared in April and May this year to battle with the obstacles that wore out Hayes's fresh sledgemen in the spring of 1861 and limited them to an advance of three miles per day. Greely will, in all probability, have to be sought at Lady Franklin Bay.

The Thetis and the Bear have probably had no difficulty in communicating with the Esquimaux, who live along the Greenland coast, and who perhaps have valuable information. They can always be found in the spring at Cape York, and also seventy miles further north, in Whale Sound, a favorite resort of the seal, and hence popular with the natives, who have several little settlements there. These aborigines, who number, all told, less than 200 persons, have rendered valuable services to three American expeditions, and their good will and assistance may be useful this summer.

It is not likely that the Alert can carry out the entire programme prepared for her by Commander Schley and Mr. William E. Chandler. She was expected to convoy the coal transport from Upernavik to Foulke Fiord, arriving there about July 1, and then to examine the coast of Greenland as far north as Humbold Glacier. All Arctic travellers know the sledging season in Smith Sound is over before July. Rotten ice stopped Hayes's sledge at Lady Franklin Bay on May 18, and he returned to the ship with great difficulty. June sledging parties have always met with partial or total failure. By July the sound is generally filled with the floating pack, which puts an end to sledging or boating expeditions.

While Commander Schley is anxiously watching the coasts of Grinnell Land and waiting for the west winds that are likely to open leads northward along that coast, it is probably immaterial whether the Greenland shore Lifeboat Cove is examined or not. Greely could hardly get there in any event, and it is difficult to see why he should wish to do so. The Esquimaux themselves never venture into that region except to hunt bears and then only in cases of dire extremity.

We may reasonably expect to hear news from the expedition early in October, either by the return of the entire party or by the arrival at St. Johns of the Alert. The fact seems to have been generally overlooked that the Thetis and Bear were provided with complete scientific outfits. Three of their officers were recently on duty at the Smithsonian Institute under training for scientific work. They were instructed to take such observations as would not interfere with the main object. If they have to winter north, a contingency which there are good grounds for hoping will not occur, they will make the eighth meteorological station that has occupied Smith Sound. In fact the lives of the Greely party were needlessly risked in a locality that has been favored more frequently with scientific stations than any other high northern latitude.—*N. Y. Sun.*

### Country Roads.

The dirt shoveled upon the country roads by the supervisors' directions has been washed away by recent rains. This happens with great regularity every Spring. While the present system of road-making is continued the bad roads are likely to continue. We go on, year in and year out, like the spiders which spin webs within reach of the housekeeper's broom, throwing loose dirt on the roads, only to see it washed away inside a few weeks, and for the rest of the year the repairs are made to vehicles, harness and horse flesh. The Reading *Times* suggests a State superintendent of public roads and a State appropriation of $1,000,000 annually, distributed like the school fund, on condition that each township collects a road tax equal in amount to the sum it would receive from the State. Bad roads can only be made good by the expenditure of money.

Whether the money is raised by the State or by the neighborhoods, it will have to come out of the pockets of the people. If the people of the counties really think that good roads can only be obtained by a general road law and appropriation, they have the power to obtain the State's assistance through the Legislature. The counties need improved roads more than Philadelphia needs better streets, and it should be pretty well proved by this time that the townships are unable, separately, to maintain good highways. —*Press.*

### Deeds Recorded.

The following deeds have been recorded since those last published:

George Dodson and wife to R. T. Smith, Benton.

Peter Antes and wife to Erederick Miller, Hemlock.

Thomas C. Kocher and wife to Samuel H. Sitler, Centre.

Samuel H. Sitler, administrator, to Thos. C. Kocher, Centre.

Abraham Martz and wife to Nathan Martz, Briarcreek.

Aiden Stokes and wife to Franklin Shuman, Briarcreek.

W. L. Manning and wife to E. B. Souder, Jackson.

C. E. Rennock and wife, et. al., to Chas. Reichart, Main.

Charles Reichart and wife to Charles S. Reichart, Main.

William C. Andrews and wife, et. al., to Elliott L. Lemon, et. al., Fishingcreek.

Louis Baker to Charles Baker, Catawissa.

E. W. Runyan and wife to Barbara Giger, Montour,

Daniel Kreigh and wife to Franklin B. Kreigh, Catawissa.

A. P. Heller, administrator, to Joseph Lawton, Greenwood.

Wm. G. Lawton and wife to Joseph F. Lawton, Greenwood.

Daniel McHenry and wife, et. al., to George W. Derr, Greenwood.

Alfred Creveling and wife to Susan A. Creveling, Scott.

George W. Stineman to Ann A. Stineman, Bloomsburg.

Silas Welliver, executor, to W. R. Demott, Madison.

Jacob Demott to W. R. Demott, Madison.

Ellis Eves to James B. Eves, Greenwood.

Daniel B. Fisher and wife to Robert Lockhart, Conyngham.

Douglass Hughes and wife to L. E. Waler, Bloomsburg.

Thomas Liddlwalt and wife to John J. Curran, Centralia.

Robert E. Cadman and wife to Edward M. Kester, Bloomsburg.

Miranda Seely, et. al., to R. W. Oswald, Berwick.

R. W Oswald to A. D. Seely, Berwick.

William Faux and wife to Isaac White, Scott.

J. H. Vanderslice, et. al., executor, to John G. Shellenberger, Scott.

D. J. Waller and wife to Rev. N. Spear, Bloomsburg.

I. K. Krickbaum, administrator, et. al., to James H. Parks, et. al., Mifflin.

James Barton and wife, et. al., to Josiah Giger, Bloomsburg.

John Fry and wife to First Presbyterian Church of Bloomsburg, Bloomsburg.

Henry C. Hartman and wife to John Fry, Bloomsburg.

Jonas Doty to Aaron Hess, Fishingcreek.

James E. Jones and wife to Amos M. White, Fishingcreek.

George W. Thompson and wife to W. H. Vannatta, Bloomsburg.

Moses Hower and wife to Theodore Yeager, Catawissa.

Matthias Presing to Lucinda Yeager, Locust.

John Fetterman and wife to A. G. Klees, Locust.

Peter Swank executor to Wilson Rhoads, Locust.

Henry Fullmer, administrator to Elmira Force, Orange.

Wesley Demott and wife et al to John C. Shultz, et al Madison.

Alfred P. Fowler and wife to W. J. McCormick, et al Scott.

Angeline Paul Egan to Mary Ann Paul, et al Bloomsburg.

Solomon D. Rinard and wife to Catharine Reese, Catawissa.

J. K. Sharpless and wife to Philip Sidler, Catawissa.

Elisha Trembley and wife to Amelia Watts, Scott.

Daniel Bogert to John M. Bogert, Fishingcreek.

B. A. Schweppenheiser et al to Maggie A. Hess, et al Scott.

H. A. Schweppenheiser et al to Thomas N. Schweppenheiser, et al Centre.

T. L. Schweppenheiser and wife et al to Hiram Schweppenheiser and wife, Centre.

Hiram A. Schweppenheiser and wife et al to Isaac Strauss and wife, Centre.

Stephen Pohe, executor et al to Jacob Fetterolf, Mifflin.

Stephen Pohe, executor et al to Phœbe A. Turnbach, Centre.

Ams F. Creasy and wife to C. H. Zehnder, Berwick.

M. V. B. Kline, administrator to Daniel E. Baylor, Montour.

Henry C. Hartman and wife to Thomas W. Gunton, Bloomsburg.

Thomas W. Gunton and wife to Columbia county Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association, Bloomsburg.

Ramsey Bidleman and wife to Douglass Hughes, Bloomsburg.

Reece Fairman and wife to William Hagenbuch, Scott.

Lydia Roberts et al to Emanuel Yorks, Jackson.

Frederick Wile to Emanuel Yorks, Jackson.

Frederick Wile to Catharine Yorks, Jackson.

Columbia county M. S. F. & Loan Association, to Geo. W. Hosler, Beaver.

George W. Dyer and wife to Harvey P. Cherrington, Roaringcreek.

Charles Beaver and wife to William Beaver, Locust.

Daniel Miller and wife to William Fisher, Main.

Charles Baker, administrator to William F. Mensinger, Beaver.

Martha J. Edgar to Emeline Fahringer, Scott.

William G. Lawton and wife to William B. Lawton, Greenwood.

James T. Lawton and wife to William G. Lawton, Greenwood.

George W. Snyder and wife to Henry Christian, Montour.

Jesse Kennedy and wife to David Lowenberg, Bloomsburg.

E. Franklin Cavance and wife to Margaret S. Kimmell, Mt. Pleasant.

Thomas C. Oman and wife to David Oman, Mt. Pleasant.

Henry F. Oman executor to Thomas C. Oman, Mt. Pleasant.

Barnerd Ammerman to John W. Betz, Scott.

Phœbe Moyer trustee, to Jacob Hower Catawissa.

C. W. Miller and wife to Frank N. Turner, Bloomsburg.

Stephen Pohe and John Wolf executors to Joseph R. Pohe, Centre.

Michael Federolf to George W. Bellman, Conyngham.

William H. Hartzel and wife to Daniel C. Bond, Mifflin.

John Harter and wife to Daniel C. Bond, Mifflin.

Samuel Lehr, administrator to Daniel Singerly, Sr., Beaver.

Peter Becktel and wife to Cornelius Cronin, Bloomsburg.

Ezekiel C. Shultz to Alvin A. Harvey, Sugarloaf.

John Blecher and wife to same, Sugarloaf.

Samuel S. Harvey to same, Sugarloaf.

Richard Thompson to Charles W. Brubaker, Berwick.

Stephen Gould and wife to Daniel Brifogle, Hemlock, et al.

John R. Thomas to L. N. Moyer, Bloomsburg.

Isaac S. Kuhn and wife to John Rehm, et al Bloomsburg.

### Fourth of July Excursions.

REDUCED RATES TO CHICAGO.

In order that the public may have the opportunity of enjoying the National Holiday to the fullest extent, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in accordance with a custom pursued for several years, will sell excursion tickets between all points on its system, east of Pittsburg and Erie, for the Fourth of July. These tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates, and can be procured on the 3d and 4th of July, good to return until the 7th, inclusive.

For the benefit of parties desiring to visit Chicago on the occasion of the Democratic National Convention the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell round-trip tickets from eastern cities to Chicago at a rate reduced to the cost of an unlimited ticket in one direction. These excursion tickets will be placed on sale on the 3d of July. They will be good going from the 3d to the 8th inclusive, and good to return until the 18th, inclusive. No stop-over privileges allowed.

These reductions offer splendid opportunities for making a short trip in the East, or a more extended trip to the West, at very low rates.


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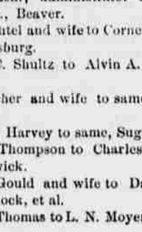


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### SCHOOL HOUSE LETTING.

The school directors of Jackson township will receive proposals for building a new school house near Derr's store, on the premises, on Saturday, July 19th at 2 o'clock p. m.

July 4-2 w By order of Directors.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF HARRIET VANLIEW, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary in the estate of Harriet Vanliew, late of Orange township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, have been granted by Register of said county to the undersigned Administrator. All persons having claims against the estate to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned without delay.

July 4-6 w A. C. VANLIEW, Administrator.

## CANDIDATES.

All persons whose names are announced as candidates, in this column, are expected to abide by the action of the Democratic county convention, to be held on Tuesday, August 12th 1884.

The price for announcing names in this column is $3.00 for any office, and must be paid positively in advance.

FOR CONGRESS.
DR. O. A. MEGARGELL,
OF ORANGEVILLE.

FOR CONGRESS,
J. M. C. RANCK,
OF SCOTT TOWNSHIP.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
G. A. HERRING,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.
P. A. EVANS,
OF MONTOUR TOWNSHIP.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
A. B. CROOP,
OF BRIARCREEK.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
W. H. SNYDER,
OF ORANGE.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE SEVERAL COURTS
WM. KRICKBAUM
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
M. F. EYERLY,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
C. H. CAMPBELL,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
G. W. STERNER,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
U. H. ENT,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
CHARLES REICHART,
OF MAIN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
B. F. EDGAR,
OF FISHINGCREEK.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
WASHINGTON PARR,
OF FRANKLIN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
STEPHEN POHE
OF CENTRE TOWNSHIP.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
R. A. SHUMAN,
OF CATAWISSA.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
WM. G. GIRTON,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
W. S. FISHER,
OF MAIN.

I will not make a personal canvass of the county to solicit votes, but, if elected, I pledge myself to conduct the office in the best interests of the people.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
WILLIAM BRYSON,
OF CENTRALIA.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
A. L. FRITZ,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
OF CATAWISSA.

I will not travel the county to solicit votes, but will cheerfully visit all publicly, to discuss the issues before the people, if desired.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
DR. L. J. ADAMS,
OF BRIARCREEK.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
G. M. LOCKARD,
OF BLOOMSBURG.


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What gives our Children rosy cheeks,
What cures their fevers, makes them sleep:
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What cures their colic, kills their worms,
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Sour Stomach, Colds, Indigestion;
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Castor Oil and Paregoric, and
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Orders left at Schuyler & Co's, hardware store will be promptly filled.

Special attention given to heating by steam and hot water.

May 9-1y


### TAX NOTICE.

The undersigned, Treasurer of the town of Bloomsburg, hereby gives notice that he is prepared to receive the town taxes of said town, ascertained for the year 1884, on and after Thursday, June 12, 1884, at his office in Matter's building, corner of Second and Centre Streets, in said Town; and all tax-payers are hereby required to pay the same. Any tax unpaid at the expiration of thirty days from the said 12th day of June, shall be paid with five per centum upon the amount added thereto. FRANK P. BILLMEYER, Town Treasurer.

June 13-4w

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH WEAVER, DECEASED, LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to distribute funds in the hands of Executor in the estate of Joseph Weaver, late of Bloomsburg, deceased, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, July, 5th 1884 at 10 o'clock, a. m., when and where all parties interested in said estate must appear and present their claims or be debarred from any share of said fund,

June 13 PAUL E. WIRT, Auditor.

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JACOB HONS, DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county by agreement of parties, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrator to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Saturday, July 12th 1884, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove their claim or be debarred from any share of said fund.

June 13 GEO. E. ELWELL, Auditor.

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ABRAHAM FORCE, DECEASED.

The undersigned appointed auditor to distribute the balance in the hands of the administrator of said decedent, will meet the parties interested at the offices of Barkley & Buckingham on Monday the seventh day of July, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock a. m. when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and present the same or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said estate.

June 13 R. BUCKINGHAM, Auditor.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CHARLES HAYES, DECEASED, LATE OF CATAWISSA, PA.

Letters of administration on the estate of Charles Hayes deceased, late of Catawissa, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned Administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of the deceased are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

Rhawn & Robbins Atty's CLINTON ELLIS, Administrator.
June 16-6w

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF SAMUEL RIMBY, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary in the estate of Samuel Rimby late of Madison township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased having been granted by the register of said county to the undersigned executor. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present the same for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment without delay.

LEVI D. GEIGER, Executor.
Washingtonville, Montour county, Pa.
June 5 1884. June 13-6w

### STATEMENT
—OF—
### Bloomsburg School District
For the Year Ending June 2, 1884.

Tax rate 7 mills on the dollar valuation for school purposes, and 2 mills for building purposes.

M. C. WOODWARD, COLLECTOR.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Dr. | | |
| To am't of duplicate 1883—'84 | $7509 61 | |
| " bal on duplicate 1882—'83 | 868 85 | $8378 46 |
| Cr. | | |
| By exonerations on dup. 1882—1883— | | |
| less commission | 16 66 | |
| " exonerations on dup. 1883—'84 | 105 87 | |
| "amount paid Treasurer | 6252 19 | |
| " 2 per cent. on $7401 04 | 148 08 | |
| "am't due dist on dup 1883—'84 | 1355 96 | 8378 46 |

STEPHEN KNORR, TREAS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Dr. | | |
| To am't from former Treasurer | 37 31 | |
| " am't from Collector | 6752 19 | |
| " am't from state appropriation | 729 60 | |
| " Tuition Thomas Metherell | 7 00 | 7526 10 |
| Cr. | | |
| By am't orders red'd for 1883—'84 | 5883 62 | |
| " am't coupons pd $363 00 less state tax $24 20 off | 338 80 | |
| By am't Bonds Nos 47, 48, 49, paid, | 1100 00 | |
| " int on same from July 1, 1883 till redeemed less state tax | 35 34 | |
| By Treasurer's commission on $7357 76 @ 2 per cent | 147 16 | |
| By balance in Treasurer's hands | 21 18 | 7526 10 |

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Dr. | | |
| To tax levied for build'g purposes | 1501 99 | |
| " balance due from former coll'tr | 440 14 | 1942 04 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amt pd for $363. coupons, tax off $24 20 | 338 80 | |
| " three bonds redeemed | 1100 00 | |
| " interest on same from July 1, 1883 till redeemed, less tax | 35 34 | |
| By amt pd O T Wilson Ex-Treasurer due for bal coupons paid by him | 24 00 | |
| By Treasurer's commission | 29 98 | |
| " Collector's commission | 29 83 | |
| " exonerations on duplicate '83—84 | 10 13 | |
| "bal due on duplicate '83—'84 | 373 98 | 1942 04 |

SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Dr. | | |
| To amt levied for school purposes | 6607 71 | |
| " amt due from former collector | 4 81 | |
| " amt due from former treasurer | 37 31 | |
| " amt state appropriation | 729 60 | |
| "amt tuition from T Metherell | 7 00 | 7210 33 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amt paid 16 teachers | 4950 00 | |
| " amt paid 2 janitors | 100 00 | |
| " amt paid 2 janitors during holidays | 10 00 | |
| " amt paid for publishing statement and printing | 52 50 | |
| By amt paid Bloom Water Co | 12 00 | |
| " amt paid sundry persons for cleaning buildings | 37 62 | |
| By amt paid auditors | 3 00 | |
| " amt pd C W Neal & Bro., coal | 229 00 | |
| " amt pd Jas C Sterner, wood | 2 00 | |
| " amt pd Freas Brown. (insurance) | 80 25 | |
| " amt pd O A Jacoby stone for pavement | 101 64 | |
| By amt paid for repairs | 325 91 | |
| " " " " supplies | 41 80 | |
| By additional exonerations on duplicate '82—'83 less com | 16 65 | |
| By exonerations on duplicate '83—'84 | 95 44 | |
| " Collector's commission | 118 25 | |
| " Treasurer's commission | 117 20 | |
| " Balance on duplicate '83—'84 | 981 98 | |
| " " In Treasury | 21 18 | 7210 33 |

STATEMENT OF BONDS OUTSTANDING JUNE 1, 1884

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 50. Bond issued to Freas Brown, due Oct. 1, '84 | 300 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 5 00 | 305 00 |
| No. 51 Bond issued to Silas Conner, due Oct 1, '84 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1,—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 52. Bond issued to Silas Conner, due Oct 1, '84 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84, to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 53. Bond issued to Freas Brown, due Oct 1, '85 | 300 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 5 00 | 305 00 |
| No. 54. Bond issued to Silas Conner, due Oct 1, '85 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 55. Bond issued to Silas Conner, due Oct 1, '85 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 56. Bond issued to Meyer Bros, due July 1, 1886 | 570 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 57. Bond issued to David Stroup, due July 1, 1886 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 58. Bond issued to Creasy & Brown, due July 1, 1886 | 200 00 | |
| Int from July 1—'83 to June 1—'84 | 11 00 | 211 00 |
| No. 59. Bond issued to Creasy & Brown, due July 1 1886 | 100 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 2 50 | 102 50 |
| No. 60. Bond issued to Lizzetta Creasy, due July 1, 1886 | 100 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 2 50 | 102 50 |
| No. 61. Bond issued to David Stroup, due July 1, 1887 | 100 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 2 50 | 102 50 |
| No. 62 Bond issued to David Stroup, due July 1, 1887 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 63. Bond issued to David Stroup, due July 1, '87 | 500 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 12 50 | 512 50 |
| No. 64. Bond issued to Creasy & Brown, due July 1, '87 | 200 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 5 00 | 205 00 |
| No. 65. Bond issued to E. B. Brown, due July 1, '87 | 100 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 2 50 | 102 50 |
| No. 66. Bond issued to J. J. Brower, due July 1, '87 | 200 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 5 00 | 205 00 |
| No. 67. Bond issued to R. W. Smith, due July 1, '87 | 100 00 | |
| Int from Jan 1—'84 to June 1—'84 | 2 50 | 102 50 |
| Bonded indebtedness | | $5643 50 |

ASSETS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash due from Collector | $1355 96 | |
| " " " Treasurer | 21 18 | |
| " " " C. W. Kyes | 130 00 | |
| " " for Tuition | 54 00 | |
| Tax due from commissions | 54 43 | 1605 57 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds and interest to June 1, '84 | 5643 50 | |
| Secretary's salary 1882—'83 Wm. Krickbaum | 150 00 | |
| Secretary's salary 1883—'84 Jas. C. Brown | 125 00 | 5918 50 |
| Actual indebtedness | | $4312 93 |

JAS. C. BROWN, Secretary. O. T WILSON, President.

The undersigned Auditors having examined the above accounts and statements with the vouchers as presented by the Treasurer find the same correct and approved thereof.

F. D. DENTLER, CHAS. R. HOUSEL, } Auditors.

### SCHOOL HOUSE LETTING.

The Directors of Hemlock School District will receive bids for building a new school house for said district, on Saturday July 19th at the school house in Buckhorn, at 2 o'clock p. m. Plans and specification can be seen at C. H. Dieterick's hotel. At the same time the old school house will be offered for sale. By order of Directors.

June 27-3 w


# DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

## 50 Cents on $1.00.

The firm of M. LEVY & CO. have decided to dissolve partnership and in order to do this the stock *must* be sold. Now is the time to buy

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# M. LEVY & CO.

## BERWICK, PA.

apr 25-3m



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# The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.,

FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1884.


### Correct Railroad Time Table.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

| NORTH. | SOUTH. |
|---|---|
| 6:36 a. m. | 11:52 a. m. |
| 4:06 p. m. | 6:13 p. m. |

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

| NORTH. | SOUTH. |
|---|---|
| 7:05 a. m. | 8:38 a. m. |
| 11:17 a. m. | 11:53 a. m. |
| 6:35 p. m. | 4:36 p. m. |

The 8:38 a. m. train connects at Northumberland with the 9:35 train on Pennsylvania road, reaching Philadelphia at 3:15 p. m.

The 11:53 train connects with Philadelphia and Reading road at Rupert reaching Philadelphia at 6:00 p. m.

The 11:53 train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 1:50, reaching Philadelphia at 7:25 p. m.

The 4:36 p. m. train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 8:05 p. m., and reaches Philadelphia at 3:05 a. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

| NORTH. | SOUTH. |
|---|---|
| 11:27 a. m. | 12:01 p. m. |
| 6:30 p. m. | 4:15 p. m. |

### To Subscribers out of the State.

Hereafter all papers mailed out of the state must be paid for strictly in advance, $1.75 a year. We have to pay postage on them and in several instances we have lost not only the postage but the price of the paper. The date on each paper shows up to what time it is paid, and it will be stopped at the expiration of the time unless paid in advance. Self-protection compels us to adopt this plan.

### For Sale.

Several town properties, good location, brick or frame.

About 25 acres of land in Hemlock township, partly cleared, balance well timbered.

A farm of about 80 acres in Scott twp.

For terms and particulars apply to Geo. E. Elwell, Bloomsburg, Pa. feb. 29-tf.

### Personal.

Miss Moore, of Boston, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Shattuck.

Miss Bird Bell of Altoona, Pa., spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Tustin.

Mrs. Fletcher Harris of Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Rupert.

Miss Eby of Selinsgrove, was the guest of Miss Mamie Schoch last week.

Miss Bessie Monroe of Rupert is entertaining her friend Miss Harkness of Wilkes Barre.

J. C. Rutter of this office is taking a week's vacation and will visit a number of points.

Among the lawyers from out of town who were in attendance at Court on Monday, were W. A. Marr of Ashland and Jas. C. Scarlet of Danville.

James Hartman of Sunbury, was in town on Monday. He was visiting his brother Amos, of Buckhorn, and other relatives.

W. H. Jacoby, who has been employed in the Milton *Economist* office for some time past, is at home again. He has recovered from his recent attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Shiffer, foreman of the jobbing department of the *Gazette & Bulletin* office of Williamsport, gave us a friendly call on Monday.

William S. Elwell who has been attending the Normal School the past two years, started for his home in Wisconsin on Wednesday.

We acknowledge the receipt of the report of the Department of Agriculture from Congressman Storm.

Mrs. William Webb is serving her excellent ice cream every evening to numerous customers, on Market street.

The curbstone market is not numerously attended this year, there being an average of not over a half dozen wagons.

A healthy girl who understands cooking thoroughly, wanted at Dr. Shattuck's Rest Cure, opposite the depot, Bloomsburg, Pa.

The new awning recently erected in front of Clark & Son's store is a great improvement. This firm keeps up to the times in everything.

WANTED.—A correspondent in Benton, Catawissa, Jerseytown, Millville, Numidia, Rupert, and other points not now represented. Write for terms.

A game of base ball will be played on Friday morning July 4th at 9 o'clock between the Catawissa club and one of this place.

Dr. W. H. House, has moved his dental rooms from over the Banking Company office to the new COLUMBIAN building, front room on Second floor.

The Young Ladies Mission Band of Lime Ridge, will hold a fair on the lawn in front of the M. E. Church, Saturday evening July 5. All are invited.

FOR SALE.—100,000 shaved hemlock shingles, by A. Laubach & Son, Guava, Sugarloaf township.
June 16-4w *

We publish elsewhere a full report of the delegates to the State College. As few people in this county have any knowledge of this institution, the article will prove an interesting one.

To-day is the "Glorious Fourth." With the exception of family picnics it will be spent very quietly in town. A large number of our people will probably take in the celebration at Nanticoke.

The rains of last week were very beneficial to the corn crop, but in places the grain was beaten down. In the western part of the state the storm was heavy and considerable damage was done.

The Lutheran churches and Sunday schools of Bloomsburg, Catawissa, Danville and vicinity propose holding a missionary festival at Rupert, July 23. Particulars later. All are invited.

Notwithstanding the prevailing custom of many newspapers to issue no paper on the week of July in which the 4th comes, our readers are not asked to grant us this indulgence. Printers, like everybody else, enjoy their holidays, but when pleasure interferes with business we must forego it.

Girton's restaurant is a quiet and well-kept establishment. The proprietor furnishes his tables with the delicacies of the season. Frogs, soft-shell crabs, and turtle soup have lately been on the bill of fare. He keeps Smith's India Pale Ale by the bottle or dozen.

The change of the time of holding the meetings of town council from Wednesday to Thursday evening is not a good one so far as the publication of the proceedings is concerned. Heretofore we were able to give them the same week, but now it cannot be done until the following week. All taxpayers have a right to know what is done by the council, and the sooner they know it, the better. We would therefore respectfully suggest that if the meetings be held on Tuesday instead of Thursday, all the papers that desire to do so, can print the proceedings the same week.

The 30th Annual Meeting of the State Teacher's Association will be held at Meadville, Pa., on July 8th, 9th and 10th. Excursion tickets will be sold on the railroads. On the D. L. & W. $9.35 for round trip.

The Lewisburg nail works, under course of erection, will be completed and in operation not later than the middle of September. The stone and mason work of all kinds are finished, and the lumber hauled upon the ground for the frame work of the building. The whole structure will be under the roof in a few days, then will come the introduction of the machinery which has been selected and purchased.

List of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Benton Columbia county, Pa., for the quarter ending June 30th, 1884:

Mr. Levi Keeter, Mr. A. P. Kitchen, Mr. Beterly Eveland, Mr. C. Fox, esq., Mr. J. R. Carl, Mr. A. H. Malcolm, Mr. Jacob F. Sechrist, Mr. Joseph Meeker, Mr. J. Weissben, Mr. Martin States Miss Mary J. McHenry, Miss Katie Michael, Mrs. Leah. Hartman, Mrs. Mary Hess.

Persons calling for above letters, please say advertised. JOHN HEACOCK, P. M.

The present hot weather makes a man feel as though he would like to keep as cool as possible. The best way to do this is to go to D. Lowenberg's and purchase one of his light summer suits. He has them in cloth, linen, Pongee, and various other textures, of all sizes, colors, and prices. Put one of these suits on, sit down in a shady place, don't get excited over politics, and we will guarantee that you will be comfortable.

Cheap goods at Lilley & Sleppy's.

Henry Miller was hauling a load of lumber from Jerseytown last Saturday, and when about three miles the other side of Buckhorn one of the traces broke and the plunging of the horses threw the load over, catching him under it, and killing him instantly. A little boy of seven years was with him, but jumped off the load, and was only slightly injured. Mr. Miller was a son-in-law of George Beagle, and was an industrious man. He leaves a family.

Major General John F. Hartranft, commanding the National Guard of Pennsylvania, has issued an order in which he states that the encampment at Gettysburg will be designated as "Camp Gettysburg." During the encampment the regular fall inspection by the the adjutant general will take place. Regimental, batallion and independent company comrades will therefore be prepared with the required muster and inspection rolls before going into camp.

Some months ago the post office at Locust Dale was in Schuylkill county and Mr. Joyce was postmaster. A change was made in the postmaster and the office was removed a few yards, which placed it in Columbia county. Last week Joel Hobenstein was appointed postmaster and removed the office about fifty yards, near Charles Neiman's, which again places it in Schuylkill county, where it is likely to remain.—*Ashland Advocate.*

Bloomsburg is well supplied with barber shops, having three of them, and all first-class. Reilly has been adding some fine cosmetiques, Hungarian Pomade and Brilliantine to his stock, and by the use of these articles he gives his customers a shave that cannot be surpassed anywhere. Reilly has a valuable assistant in John Wanich, who takes pride in doing all his work to the entire satisfaction of their patrons.

A car load of Mason and Lightning fruit jars at Lilley & Sleppy's just received.

A strange death of a little girl by accidentally swallowing a lightning bug is reported from Concord, N. C. The child was playing in the yard with a number of other children, at her parents' house, near Odell's factory, and while laughing and romping about a lightning bug flew into her mouth and made its way down her throat. The little girl became suddenly ill, and, though physicians did everything to relieve her sufferings, she died within a few hours afterward. This is the first death from such a cause on record.

The following persons partook of a trout dinner at Perry's Elk Run House, Sugarloaf, last Sunday: E. P. Albertson and wife, W. W. Hess and wife, Frank Hess and wife, George Raber and wife, W. H. Moore and wife, A. Kline and wife, H. F. Everett and wife, B. H. Ruckle, D. H. Karns, S. W. Roberts, O. E. Sutton, D. Lewis, F. K. Sigfried, J. B. Lemon, W. E. Sellers and J. H. Krickbaum. The company was a jolly one, the dinner was excellent and all came away with a high opinion of mine host Perry, and his estimable lady.

HOW TO DESTROY PESTS.—As the season for various insect pests once more comes around, it will be well to prepare for them a fitting reception. Paris green and London purple are cheap and effective remedies, but their use is attended with more or less danger. Four ounces of kerosene thoroughly mixed with one gallon of skim milk, or soap suds, and then added to four gallons of water, if applied through a hose sprinkler, will effectually dispose of the majority of insect enemies and at the same time involve no danger in its use. Pyrethrum powder is an effectual insecticide in many cases. Cabbage worms may be disposed of by sprinkling upon them water heated to 130 degrees Fahr., or by spraying on the plants a mixture of 200 grains of pyrethrum with two gallons of water.

Examine the Lightning fruit jar at Lilley & Sleppy's.

In our issue of June 13th an item was printed stating that Ann Llewellyn of Pottsville had a wooden leg; that her husband also had one, and that two of her children were afflicted in the same manner. Mrs. Llwellyn called on us last Friday to deny the story and to learn the source of our information. She once had her leg broken, and her husband was injured some years after marriage and had a leg amputated, and there it ends. She says that some one has started the item to injure her and she proposes to trace the author. We could only refer her to the Philadelphia *Chronicle-Herald*, from which the item was clipped. The lady has brought an action against the Philadelphia *Call* for a similar publication.

We were asked, a few days ago, why it is that the COLUMBIAN does not publish reports of proceedings, and other matters of interest to the Grangers. Our reply was that we do publish all matter of the kind that is furnished, and are always glad to get it. Not being Grangers, however, we must rely on the secretaries and others interested to supply the necessary information. If no one takes enough interest in the Granges to supply the papers with the Grange news, we cannot be expected to manufacture it ourselves. We are willing to admit that editors know almost everything, but not being endowed with the gift of second sight, and not being omnipresent, we are unable to describe events of which we have not heard, or to discuss matters of which we have no information. If the Grangers will appoint some one of their number to represent them in our columns, we shall be glad to give space to their contributions.

Very few people are aware of the completeness with which the Exchange Hotel is provided with conveniences. Although our office is next door to it, we were surprised at what we saw there a few days ago. Within a few months a large new range has been set in the kitchen; a hot water table for heating vegetables and meats has been placed in the carving room, and a handsome and commodious refrigerator adorns the quarters where it is erected. There are few city hotels that are better equipped, and none that are better kept. A colored male cook who thoroughly understands every branch of his business, has recently been employed, and the *cuisine* is all that can be desired. Families from the city who wish to spend a few summer months away from home, could not find a pleasanter place to sojourn than at the Exchange Hotel.

### For the Campaign.

THE COLUMBIAN will be sent from now until November 15th for 50 cents; from August 1st, for 40 cents. If your neighbor is not a subscriber, show him this item, and advise him to take advantage of it.

### Orangeville.

Our town has been specially favored with visitors the last few weeks, said visitors being commercial drummers and political candidates with the candidates in the lead. If we are to believe the stories these candidates tell of each other there is not one of them named on the tickets fitted for the office to which they aspire. They are not satisfied in decrying their opponents fitness for the office in their ability to discharge its duties but they asperse their personal characters and domestic affairs. When will these would-be office holders learn that it is not their best way to impress the voters of their fitness for the office they aspire to by slandering their opponents, but by letting the people know that they are men and not blackguards.

The leading topics of conversation among us are crops and politics. Many guesses are made as to the probable nominations by the Democratic party at Chicago on the 6th inst. Cleveland and Butler have the lead with Bayard a good third. In Cap's opinion no one of the three stand any chance against the plumed knight. Cap has yet to learn that the favorite in the start of a race seldom comes in the winner.

The firm of Lilley & Sleppy has been augmented by the addition of a new member brought about by Lilley's taking unto himself a wife. No change in firm's name.

James. B. Harman is pushing his new store room. When finished it will be the banner building of the town, if anywhere near the draft we saw of it.

Prof. Heck has opened his Normal term July 1st with quite a respectable attendance. I understand he is to be assisted during a part of the term by Rev. W. H. Dill for 14 years Principal of Freeburg academy and now superindendent of public schools of Centre Co. This is another proof of Professor's energy and progressiveness. It is a shame to the people of Orangeville the little interest they take in this enterprise, the most commendable one we have in our community. They don't deserve the efforts he is putting forth to help the town, and still less do they deserve the man—a man full of energy, of uncommon ability and fully versed in all the methods of teaching. The school would ("as it justly should") become the best educational institution of its kind in the state. Won't our people wake up to the importance of the need of their help in this matter and give it and its hard-working Principal their moral support if nothing else. They now have the best teacher they ever have had. Then why not help him along and keep him here.

Miss Smith and Mrs. Gill of Washington are visiting at A. B. Stewart's.

I understand the Free Masons of town intend having a new lodge room fitted up over the store room of James. B. Harman's New Building.

PROGRESS.

### Berwick.

Mr. Mainy of Brooklyn, is visiting his parents.

Miss Marr and the two Misses Vannatta from Bloomsburg are visiting in this place.

Mr. B. F. Eaton and lady of Coxsackie, N. Y., are visiting relatives in Berwick.

Quite a number of young folks attended the commencement of the Normal School at Bloomsburg last week, and report a splendid time.

Mrs. F. R. Jackson had a birthday party Monday evening for her daughter Katie, at which the young folks enjoyed themselves immensely for a couple of hours.

Childrens' Day was observed at the Evangelical church last Sunday.

Miss Fannie Snyder while picking cherries Monday morning, fell from the tree, and injured herself severely, but not seriously.

The Fourth of July in Berwick will be celebrated as usual, with the exception of a few picnics, and boys with their crackers; the town will be very quiet, and the majority of the people will be found in Nanticoke.

The Good Templars had a picnic Saturday in Martz's woods, where all the delicacies of the season were partaken of.

The presentation of a splendid silk flag to the Grand Army by Prof. W. E. Smith in behalf of the citizens, was well delivered, as well the response by G. A. Buckingham. Appropriate music by the cornet band was also very well received.

The grain and hay around here, is being cut, and the merry chime of the reaper is about all that disturbs the quietness of the place.

The base ball association have marked out a "diamond" in the Fair Grounds, which they intend ploughing up, after which they will put in clay and then roll it. This will make a splendid place for match games.

Under O. H. P. Kitchen's skillful management the cemetery still retains its beauty which makes it an uncommonly agreeable sight.

The Commercial and Professional men gave a free and amusing entertainment on the base ball grounds last Friday afternoon. Evans led off at the bat and scored the first "out" while Bower followed with a run. Very few "home runs" or "three-base hits" were made on account of Hill's and Brubakers lively playing. Pooler was the first to receive the ball on his leg which entitled him to limp on the wrong understanding to first base. Oswald deserves praise for his pluck in capturing Bowman, while the latter was attempting to steal his home base. Although it was a mistake in touching him so hard as to cause his prostration, and to plough up the diamond with his shirt-front.

Score by innings.

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| Prof. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 11 | 4 | —35 |
| Com. | 7 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 | —28 |

Time of game 3 hours, 10 minutes.

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### Centralia.

The young men of town organized a watch club on Monday evening, and elected the following officers, viz: president, Daniel Dougherty; vice president, John Brennan; secretary, H. Reilly; treasurer, James McBrearty. Over thirty members were admitted. The watches will be furnished by Joseph Fyfe of Girardville.

The work of standing center legs on Morris Ridge slope has been completed, and the rails will be laid as soon as possible. When this is finished, Mr. Troutman will have one of the finest slopes in the region.

A large delegation from town visited Mt. Carmel on Saturday last to witness the contest between the Reliance base ball club and the Ashland nine. Everyone went with the intention of witnessing a fine game, as both clubs have quite a record. It was a disappointment, however, as Mt. Carmel had an easy victory, scoring fifteen runs to their opponents two. The return game will be played in Ashland in a few weeks.

John McNaily was severely hurt by a fall of coal at Logan colliery last week. He was conveyed to his home in the ambulance.

Patrick Burns, who has been in the Miners' Hospital the past few months, came home on Saturday. One of his legs was taken off at the knee.

Supt. Heffner has opened a summer school in the new school building, and has a full attendance.

Our popular druggist, J. T. Millington, is spending a few days in Philadelphia this week.

The Citizens' Band will spend their Fourth with the Grant Band of Shenandoah, who intend holding a picnic on that day.

On Monday morning one of the freight cars on the early train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad caught fire from the engine, and before it was discovered burned through the car and set fire to the goods inside. The train hands, by hard work, extinguished the fire before it got fairly started inside, thus saving the car and its contents.

Harry Ferguson, agent of the L. V. R. R. depot, took a business trip to New York this week.

The collieries are all idle this week, with the exception of Morris Ridge, which worked on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Twenty-five new mine cars were received for the collieries on Monday.

The Methodist congregation will hold a festival in the church on Friday and Saturday. Extensive preparations are being made to make it pleasant for those who attend.

About a dozen Hungarians left here on Tuesday morning with their household effects, which consisted of two chairs, a table and stove, for Weatherly. We earnestly hope to see the rest of their countrymen do likewise.

### State College.

REPORT OF DELEGATES TO CONVENTION TO ELECT TRUSTEES.

The Pennsylvania State College was organized in 1859 as the "Farmers' High School" and its object was to give an exclusively agricultural education. In 1862 its name was changed to "The Agricultural College of Pennsylvania." Subsequently, the Legislature of the State having appropriated to this institution the income from the proceeds of the National landgrant, its name was in 1874 again changed, and it has since been known as "The Pennsylvania State College.

The scope of the institution, as now organized, cannot be better stated than in the comprehensive words of the act of Congress itself, defining the duty of this and similar colleges.

The leading object shall be, without excluding other Scientific and classical studies, and including Military Tactics, to teach such branches of learning as are related to Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts, in such manner as the Legislature of the State may prescribe, in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the Industrial Classes in the several pursuits and professions of life."

The institution is situated in the village of State College, Centre county, nearly twelve miles south-west of Bellefonte, and about equi-distant from the extreme parts of the State. Its position in the midst of a broad, rolling valley, with Muncy mountain on the north, Tussey mountain on the south, and Nittany on the east, secures a varied and beautiful landscape, and a healthful climate.

A special act forbids the sale of intoxicating drinks within two miles of the College, and all its surroundings are exceptionally free from demoralizing influences, and from temptations to extravagance.

The main College building is a plain and substantial structure of magnesian limestone, seated on a pleasant elevation, and is two hundred and forty feet in length, eighty feet in average breadth and five stories in height, exclusive of attic and basement. The building is heated throughout with steam, and is furnished on every story with an inexhaustible supply of pure water from an artesian well.

The tract of land on which the building stands contains 400 acres. Of this about 50 acres in the immediate vicinity of the building constitute the campus, with nearly 20 acres of the orchard, vineyard of about 500 vines, and experimental grounds of more than 30 acres.

The control of the institution is vested in a Board of Trustees, consisting of twenty-three members. The *ex-officio* members are eight in number, and include official representatives of the interests of the Commonwealth. They are at present, Hon. Robert E. Pattison, Governor of Pennsylvania, Hon. William S. Stenger, Secretary of the Commonwealth, George W. Atherton, L. L. D., President of the College, James Miles Esq., President of the State Agricultural Society, Hon. J. Simpson Africa, Secretary of Internal Affairs, Gen. Presley N. Guthrie, adjutant general, E. E. Higbee, D. D., superintendent of Public Instruction and W. P. Tatham, Esq, President of Franklin Institute. Of the other fifteen members, one third are elected annually at the College, one by the Alumni of the College and the other four

"by a body of electors composed of the Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society, the managers of the Franklin Institute of Penna., three representatives duly chosen by each county agricultural society in this Commonwealth, * * * * and three representatives from each Mining Manufacturing and Mechanical Association, not exceeding one in each county of the Commonwealth, and which shall like Agricultural Societies, have been organized at least three months preceding the time of election."

It was for the purpose of attending the election of Trustees for the ensuing year that we were appointed delegates by the Columbia County Agricultural Society.

Leaving Rupert on the 4 p. m. train, Tuesday June 24th, took supper at the City Hotel, Williamsport, stopped at night at the Fallon House, Lock Haven, took breakfast at the New Brockerhoff House, Bellefonte, and were there met by carriages from the State College, for which place we started at 8 o'clock, sharp. After a pleasant drive through a beautiful agricultural country where we were greeted by fine farms, good stock, handsome buildings, and beautiful scenery at every turn of the well-made and well-kept turnpike road, we reached the college at 10 o'clock and were welcomed by a military salute by the college students from two mounted brass field pieces. The pleasure of witnessing the military parade by the students was foregone for the more profitable treat of a drive over the farms in company with Prof. Jordon, instructor in agriculture and agricultural chemistry, and Mr. Patterson, the farmer, both genial gentlemen and well posted in the working of the farms. We were pleased to notice that there were no poor crops of any kind on the farms. There are 90 acres of wheat of the Filtz and Longberry varieties, all of which is very good, in fact, the best we have seen this season.

The corn and oats were above the average crop for this season, and the grass was thick and heavy. The farm has no inside fences, except around a grove and pasture-field, and the dividing line of the experimental tract, and it is free from destructive weeds and rough stones, showing careful and judicious management. The barns and stables were models of neatness and convenience. There is but little stock kept in summer and that is of the choicest Guernsey and Jersey breeds. Seventy-five steers were fed on the farms last winter with a profit. The farming is all done with mules, two of which, Jack and Coaly, helped draw the foundation stones for the college, and are still quite handsome animals.

Returning from the farms the Alumni dinner was the next, and one of the most enjoyable feat ures of the day. The tables spread in the armory were soon surrounded by over 200 persons all anxious to do justice to the occasion by enjoying a pleasant time. After dinner the following tonsts were proposed by Gen. Francis Jordan: 1st, Condition of the Farm: Mr. C. S. Foresman of Williamsport, responded in a short complimentary address reviewing the improvement since he had first visited the institution. 2nd, What do our Farmers most need to Know? To this Mr. John A. Woodward of Bellefonte, made the following happy reply: "Just what they can learn at State College." 3rd, What kind of education do our children need? The response to this by Mr. S. R. Downing was to the point and appreciated by all present.

4th. Does science help agriculture? Prof. Jordan in reply to this said, "science is true knowledge systematized, therefore the answer is obvious. Yes; science *has* helped agriculture, *is helping* agriculture and *will* help agriculture."

Mr. Jesse C. Ammerman was called to the last toast of the day, but had left the room, and the Rev. M. N. Cornelius, of Altoona entertained the company with a few very pleasing and interesting general remarks, after which the Hon. John M. Gregory of Illinois gave an interesting sketch of the work being done in Europe by Agricultural Colleges and what they had accomplished and urging the absolute necessity of America giving more and better attention to this all-important subject.

His remarks were supplemented by a short, clean-cut speech by Genrl. Jordan who introduced Dr. Artherton who proved himself to be an able speaker and convinced all who heard him that his heart was in the work and that he was using his best efforts for the advancement of the College.

After the dinner the delegates met in the chapel for the election of trustees. Hon. Francis Jordan and S. W. Starkweather, Esq., were the Judges elected by the trustees for the purpose of taking the vote.

On motion Dr. E. W. Hale of Centre county was elected chairman of the convention and Cyrus Gordon Esq.. of Clearfield and H. V. White of Bloomsburg, Secretaries. The chair announced that the trustees whose time had expired and whose successors were to be elected by the convention were Hon. John H. Orvis, Hon. Victor E. Piolett, J. H. Hartman, Esq., and C. S. McCormick, Esq.,

Roll call of the secretary showed 47 delegates present representing 10 counties. It was decided to receive nominations to fill the four vacancies and vote for them all at the same time, a majority vote being necessary to elect. The following are the nominees and the vote cast for each:

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| *John H. Orvis, | 29 |
| *S. R. Downing, | 37 |
| C. S. McCormick, | 16 |
| *Amos H. Myian, | 25 |
| Jesse C. Ammerman, | 6 |
| *John A. Woodward, | 24 |
| Victor E. Piolett, | 13 |
| Thomas P. Walker, | 10 |
| William C. Duncan. | 9 |

The chair announced the vote and declared those marked with a star duly elected.

Genrl. Jordan stated that the resignation of T. J. Edge, Esq., had been received and accepted by the Board of Trustees and that it would be necessary for the convention to elect a member to fill the vacancy his term to expire in 1886, whereupon George D. Stitzel, C. S. McCormick, Jes. C. Ammerman. Thos. P. Walker and Wm. A. Wallace were nominated. No one receiving a majority vote on the first ballot, the chair declared no election. The names of Stitzel and Walker were withdrawn and Secretary Jordan moved that the chair authorize the vote to be cast for Wallace. Mr. Hess of Clinton county objected, and the second ballot was taken without an election, when the name of Ammerman was withdrawn and the final ballot taken with the following result, McCormick 20 votes, Wallace 16 votes. The chair declared C. S. McCormick elected to the vacancy. No other business the convention adjourned after a session in which each and every point was warmly but harmoniously contested, and all left the hall satisfied with the result.

After the convention, Prof. Jordan conducted a party through the building showing and explaining the Chemical Laboratory and all other points of interest in a social, friendly way that will leave a lasting impression and gain for him the friendship of all whom he met.

The courtesy and cordial reception of Prof. Hamilton, the business manager of the College, will not soon be forgotten by the many who had the pleasure of making his acquaintance.

Dr. Atherton is one of that class of individuals who are gifted with a talent of sociability that makes every person they meet feel acquainted at once, and with his happy conversational powers, combined with a thorough experience in his position he entertains all who come within his circle and appears to feel a pleasure in doing so.

Leaving the college at 5½ o'clock we returned by the same route we went feeling that we had been royally entertained, that we had learned much that would be good for all agriculturists to know, and that we had enjoyed a very pleasant trip.

Very Respectfully,

SAMUEL CAMP, H. V. WHITE, } Delegates.

## MARRIAGES.

WOLF—KELCHNER.—At Mifflinville, June 14th, 1884, by Rev. J. P. German, Mr. S. H. Wolf, to Mrs. Angeline Kelchner, both of Mifflinville, Pa.

A. A. Zaner, of Audubon, Iowa, is lying very ill. His brother, C. P. Zaner, started out to see him on Monday last.

### Centre Township Sunday School Institute.

The fourth institute of the Centre township Sunday School Association was held on Saturday, June 21st, in a pleasant grove on the river's bank, near the school house in which Webb's Run Sunday school is held. All of the expected speakers were in attendance. Of the topics discussed an important one was "The Duty of Teaching Benevolence, and that a certain fixed part of that which comes into our hands should be set aside for the Lord's work." Another important subject was "Worship in the Sunday School." This, it was stated, is to be a leading topic in Sunday school assemblies of the near future. The Sunday school scholar should be taught reverence for the Sunday school as a place where God is. They should also be taught to have reverence for the exercises. The person who leads in prayer should use words so simple that all understand, and make the prayer so short that the youngest will not weary. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, D. W. Campbell; secretary, A. W. Spear; treasurer, W. H. Hess; executive committee, A. W. Spear, A. Frederick, N. L. Campbell. The time fixed for the next meeting is January 1885, and the place Centre Lutheran church.

A. W. SPEAR, Sec'y.

### Farm for Sale.

160 acres three miles from Bloomsburg west, in fine state of cultivation; buildings, fruit, &c. Apply to Dr. J. R. Evans, Bloomsburg. 6-27-3w

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The undersigned is selling J. J. Allen's phosphates as cheap as the cheapest. Different grades and different prices. Call or address, HARVEY E. HEACOCK, Agent, Lightstreet, Pa.

June 16-6w

Gentlemen who want a spring suit put up in CITY STYLE should call at the POPULAR MERCHANT TAILOR of Bloomsburg, David Lowenberg who employs only EXPERIENCED WORKMEN.

New goods at J. B. Skeer's.

"The apparel oft proclaim's the man."

A well dressed gentleman is the admiration of all, and the place to get your SPRING SUIT is at the POPULAR AND RELIABLE STORE of David Lowenberg.

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The place to go for your spring clothing, a stylish hat, or a fine neck scarf, or the latest style in furnishing goods is at David Lowenberg's.

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WHY WILL YOU

Cough when Shiloh's Cure will give you immediate relief. Price 10 cents, 50 cents and $1. Sold by Moyer Bros. *

SHILOH'S VITALIZER

is what you need for Constipation, loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. For sale by Moyer Bros.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

At times symptoms of indigestion are present, uneasiness of the stomach, &c., a moisture like perspiration, producing itching at night, or when one is warm, cause the Piles. The effect is immediate relief upon the application of Dr. Basanko's Pile Remedy, which costs you but 50 cents and is sold by C. A. Kleim. July 13-eow

"HACKMETACK,"

A lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by Moyer Bros. *

A DUTY I OWE.

Williamsport, Pa., Dec 21, 1882.

John H. Phelps, Scranton Pa., Dear Sir—I feel it my duty to inform you how much good you have done me through your Rheumatic Elixir. I have been a very bad sufferer with Inflammatory Rheumatism for over two years, half of the time not able to walk without crutches or canes. I have used three bottles of your Rheumatic Elixir. I pronounce myself entirely cured of rheumatism when all other remedies and treatment failed to give relief. And I am in better health now than I have been for years. I hope your circulars with their wonderful testimonials, will reach every sufferer with that terrible disease, rheumatism, and may encourage them to give the Rheumatic Elixir a thorongh trial. I can recommend the Rheumatic Elixir with great confidence.

I am respectfully yours,
J. H. ARNOLD.

For sale at Hendershott's Pharmacy, Bloomsburg Pa.

A NASAL INJECTOR

Free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Moyer Bros. *

CARES OF LIFE.

As we come to them they are received, borne with, and passed over with no more than a thought, if we are in the enjoyment of health, but if suffering with Piles or skin disease of any kind they magnify a hundred fold. C. A. Kleim, the Druggist, has Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy which is an absolute cure for any affection of the kind and is sold for 50c ents. July 13-eow

THE REV. GEORGE H. THAYER,

of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption Cure." Sold by Moyer Bros. *

THE LATEST NEWS

is that all who have used Law's Bluing find it far excels indigo at a much less expense. It is used for bluing and bleaching, also for coloring rag carpets it is unequaled. Each package retails for 15 cents, and makes one quart of bluing strong enough for ink, which flows from a pen equal to the best writing fluid. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. For sale in Bloomsburg by Henry Kleim, D. A. Creasy, C. C. Marr, S. A. Wilson, I. W. Hartman & Son, G. M. & J. K. Lockard, and by dealers generally.

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH

and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by Moyer Bros.

MEDICAL VALUE OF WINES.

As a general rule the use of wine is not necessary for young or adult persons in good health, breathing country air and not exposed to overwork. As however life advances and the circulation becomes languid, natural red wine used in moderation, becomes an essential article and in many cases absolutely necessary but it must be the pure products of the grape. And even in the Eastern States the physician meets large numbers of town people, especially women, who cannot digest the food and drinks suited to out-door laboring people. In such cases they resort to the beverage of tea which gives rise to a distressing dyspepsia. The wines introduced in New Jersey, especially the Burgundy and the Port Grape Wines from Alfred Speer's Vineyards, at Passaic, N. J., are the more reliable and most sought after by those who traveled and know what wines are.

Alfred Speer, Passaic, N. J.

Dear Sir.—I have used your Socialite Claret and your Port Wine in my practice with great satisfaction.

Very truly yours,
WM. R. CHILDS.

For sale by druggists.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY,

A positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker mouth. Sold by Moyer Bros. *

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS,

made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. For sale by Moyer Bros.

See a woman in another column, near Speer's Vineyards, picking grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession, for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged.

Sold by C. A. Kleim, Bloomsburg. sept 22-1y

SPEAKS RIGHT UP.

"Have tried Thomas' Eclectric Oil for croup and colds, and find it the best remedy I have ever used in my family." Wm. Kay, 510 Plymouth Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

For lame back, side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by Moyer Bros.

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July 13-eow

SHILOH'S CURE WILL

Immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and bronchitis. Sold by Moyer Bros. *

WHY BE DOWNCAST?

True, you are in a miserable condition—you are weak, palid, and nervous. You cannot sleep at night, nor enjoy your waking hours; yet, why lose heart? Get at the druggist's a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters. They will restore you to health and peace of mind. *

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Wherever Phelps' Rheumatic Elixir has been tried here it has given satisfaction.

Yours, &c.,
N. INGRAM, M. D.

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| Cloverseed | 8 00 |
| Butter | 18 |
| Eggs | 18 |
| Tallow | 06 |
| Potatoes | 25 |
| Dried Apples | 06 |
| Hams | 14 |
| Sides and shoulders | 10 |
| Chickens | 12 |
| Turkeys | 12 |
| Lard per pound | 13 |
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### Country Roads.

If the condition of the public highways of a country is to be taken as an index of its civilization, we fear that certain sections of this country would suffer by the comparison. Especially would this be true if the judgment were applied to the public roads in most farming communities. In such places road making is too often looked upon as a matter of secondary importance. The people seem content to go to and fro over roads whose condition makes traveling a prolonged misery. Who that has taken a journey, however brief, in a farm wagon over a stony country road seamed and crossed with ridges and ditches, worn by turbulent rain torrents, with frequent thank-you-mam's in all the steep places to emphasize matters, does not have a painful recollection of the bumping, jolting and thumping process to which he was subjected, and a remembrance of his intense gratitude when the ride was over.

If a stranger to such experience, he will wonder in his exasperation why the community submits to be tortured in this manner when a little combined effort and painstaking labor would provide a remedy. Neither would he find much solace in the remark that "it is nothing when you get used to it." If such a condition of things were unavoidable a spirit of meek resignation would be commendable, but where both the ability and opportunity exist for improvement, to continue in the old way argues rather a lack of enterprise and intelligent interest in the common welfare

Under the mistaken idea that road making is every body's business in general and nobody's business in particular, it often happens that a man will allow a public road bounded by his own lands to remain in a wretched condition. He works out his road tax upon it and no more. All effort beyond that seems to be regarded as a gratuitous service to the general public, an act of philanthropy which most people are not ready to perform. It is true to a great extent that the proper care of the highway is a matter of general concern, but since it is plainly impossible for the whole public to be impressed into caring for a particular piece of road it is manifestly absurd to allow a vague dependence on "somebody else" to stand in the way of one's own comfort and welfare.

It is evident that good public roads can be maintained only where there is a spirit of generous enterprise, coupled with a feeling of individual responsibility. This spirit and feeling will be heightened when it comes to be understood that good roads are a direct saving to every member of the community in reducing the wear and tear of horses and vehicles. It was wisely discovered by the manager of one of the first railroads in this State, that one dollar on the track was worth two dollars in the shop, and the remark is equally true of the common highway.

The old adage that "a stitch in time saves nine" is strictly applicable in this case. The expense of the frequent shoeing of horses, mending broken-down wagons or buying new ones, necessitated by miserable roads, would go very far toward putting the latter in a fit sondition. Smooth, wide highways not only ensure ease, comfort and quicknes of travel, but make it possible to convey larger loads with safety, saving much in the cost of cartage.

In short, well-kept roads are a positive advantage in every way to the public, individually and collectively. they enhance the value of the property by making it more accessible and giving it the appearance of neatness and thrift.

In many older countries it has been demonstrated that a good, durable road-bed must be made of broken stone. Common clay or loam may be worked smooth, but it can only be kept so through the season by watchfulness.

A hard gravel road or a macadamized one costs more in the beginning, but it pays in the end by its durability.

### The New Standard Time.

There is a good deal of misunderstanding in regard to the principle which underlines the new system of standard time. There have been about eight different time standards in the United States used by the railways, and this has led to great inconvenience. It is understood of course, that with every difference of a degree of longitude there is a variation of four minutes in solar time, faster as we go eastward, slower as we go westward. This problem to be solved has been to arrange a time system which should be as nearly uniform as possible, so as to accommodate the business interests of the country, without departing too widely from the standard of local solar time.

This result has been achieved by a division of the United States into four time belts, each belt taking its time from that of the meridian passing through the center of the belt. The eastern belt, taking its time from the seventy-fifth meridian, which passes a trifle east of Philadelphia, covers New England and the Middle States as far west as Buffalo and Pittsburg, and nearly the whole of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina. The central time belt, with the ninetieth meridian as its line of bisection (the exact meridian of New Orleans and running a little east of St. Louis), includes Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Iowa, the States north of them to the Gulf and the Rio Grande River. The next is the mountain time belt, which is regulated by the one hundred and fifth meridian, nearly clipping Denver. This belt includes wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, the larger portion of Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Texas, Arizona, Utah and Montana, with small sections of the Indian Territory and Idaho. The Pacific belt which takes its time from the one hundred and twentieth degree, passes a little west of Carson City, Nev., includes California, Nevada, Oregon and Washington Territory, the larger portion of Idaho, and strips of Montana, Utah and Arizona. There is a difference of exactly one hour between the times of the different belts. So the traveller, can easily tell the time in traveling, as he passes from one belt to another, by adding an hour without resetting his watch. For example, a man resident in Portland, Me., and having the time of the eastern belt, takes out his watch in Cincinnati, Ohio, and finds that according to the dial it is 1:30 p. m. His Cincinnati time, then, is just 12:30 p. m. He arrives at St. Louis, and finds, when he consults his watch, that it still marks 1:30 p. m. He only has to subtract two hours and he has the time correct for the time belt where he then is. This exact difference of an hour in variation of time constitutes the great convenience of the system, as the change can be instantly calculated.

A health journal says that you ought to take three quarters of an hour for your dinner. It would be well also to add a few vegetables and a piece of meat.

## ODD ITEMS

There is luck in odd numbers. That is, more peace in the house if there is but one baby instead of twins.

An Irish lover remarked: "It's a very great pleasure to be alone, especially when your sweet heart is wid ye."

The black poodle with his hair shaved in knots and knobs, is the correct thing in canines in England just now.

Coffee cups become smaller and smaller for "after dinner service." The newest size is a trifle larger than the fat woman's thimble.

A Baptist lady devotes to the Lord's cause all the eggs laid by her hens on Sunday. This looks like a dead set against sin.

If it be true that the physicians have plenty to do attending imaginary ailment, it is equally true that the sick have plenty to pay for imaginary cures.

"Don't you remember me?" asked the soda water clerk of the lady customer. "No, I can't say that I do," she replied, and yet there is something familiar about your fizz."

Why do they call it a mail train when the females have more to say than the males?

If you want to make a dude mad ask him at what misfit store he bought his clothes.

Some one asks: "why is a dude like a match?" and we can't think why unless it is because both are light-head.

It is a question whether it is better to talk in church, as members of the choir do, or go to sleep, like the oldest deacon.

"No," said Brown to Robinson with a sigh, "I haven't got change for a five, but I should like to have a five for a change."

If Cleveland shall be nominated, he will certainly be elected, for a bachelor has never failed of an election to the Presidency. As all the old maids will support him, that will make "his calling and election sure."

The most succesful counterfeit of the dime is said to be made of glass mixed with some base metal by a process unknown to ordinary workers in metal and glass. The counterfeit looks exactly like the genuine ten cent piece, but on being struck with a hammer it is crushed to pieces.

A country girl, coming from the field, being told by her poetic cousin that she looked as fresh as a daisy kissed with the dew, said, "Well, it wasn't any fellow of that name, but it was Steve Jones that kissed me. I told him that every one in town would find it out."

OATMEAL DRINK.—It is one of the best recipes printed for gratuitous distribution by the National Health Society. Put three tablespoonfuls of coarse oatmeal into three quarts of cold water and boil it for half an hour; while hot sweeten to taste with brown sugar. Most people prefer it strained. This is very good with cocoa, about half of each, as a hot drink, or it can be flavored with cloves and lemon peel boiled in it. If it is to be drank cold one half ounce of citric acid may be put to each two or three gallons. Lemon juice is preferable to the acid, but very much dearer. Rice or barley drink can be made in the same way, using broken rice or barley instead of oatmeal. Any of the above are excellent drinks for the harvest field and very cheap.

### Care of the Teeth.

While it is a fact that good and bad teeth are largely inherited, yet good ones may soon be injured by neglect. Not only as a matter of health should the teeth be preserved as far as possible, but for appearances. Nothing more detracts from the comeliness of a young man or woman, than the display of teeth yellow and black from neglect; the better looking the person, the more glaring is this blemish. Parents are often greatly to blame in this respect. As soon as a child gets its permanent teeth he or she should be taught to use a tooth brush with water, at least once a day. This would often save the child from much mortification and perhaps misery in after life. The use of a tooth brush not too stiff, with water simply, morning and night, is all that most teeth require. If tartar collects in spite of this, the use of Castile soap (the white is preferable) upon the brush will generally answer. If something more is needed to keep the teeth clean, prepared chalk is one of the safest tooth powders. Avoid all tooth powders that are at all gritty. Some contain powdered pumice stone, which will remove both the tartar and enamel In using the brush, it is equally as important to apply it to the back side of the teeth as to the front, and instead of only moving it across the teeth, a part of the brushing should be from the gums upward and downward, to remove any particles that have lodged between them. Never use a metallic tooth pick; a sliver ot wood is preferable to the quill so commonly used. Whenever decay is noticed in the teeth, go to the dentist at once.

### A Cure for Diphtheria.

Dr. Delthil, a French physician, says that a sure cure for any ordinary case of diphtheria is to utilize the vapors of liquid tar and turpentine so as to dissolve the fibrinous exudations that choke up the throat and lead to such fatal results in that dreaded disease. Dr. Delthill's process is simply this: He pours equal parts of turpentine and liquid tar into a tin pan or cup and sets fire to the mixture. A dense rosinous smoke arises, which obscures the air of the room. "The patient," Dr. Delthil says, immediately seems to experience relief; the choking and rattle stop; the patient falls into a slumber, and seems to inhale the smoke with pleasure. The fibrinous membrane soon becomes detached, and the patient coughs up microbicides. These, when caught in a glass, may be seen to dissolve in the smoke. In the course of three days afterward the patient entirely recovers." This treatment has been tested in New York recently, and with gratifying results. It is based on the theory that diphtheria is due to the rapid multiplication of living fungi, which are killed by the fumes of the tar and turpentine. Indeed, all successful treatment of diphtheria is by the use of medicines which destroy low forms of insect life.—*Demorest's Monthly for July.*

Opposite St. Louis, in the Mississippi River, floats an island which has been drifting down stream for the last twenty years. Its area is about 100 acres, and it moves quietly along at the rate of eight inches a day. So far it has advanced a mile from the position it occupied twenty years ago.

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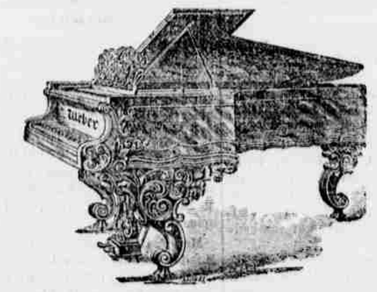


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Third. Only words found in Webster's or Worcester's dictionary admitted; this will include any word from the first to the last with the exception of prefixes and suffixes as separate words and obsolete words; words of same spelling, but different meanings to be used but once.

Fourth. Plurals of all words admitted except biographical names, names of Nation, Scripture proper names, modern geographical names, and Christian names, but apostrophe denoting possession case or otherwise not admitted.

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**RAILROAD TIME TABLE.**

**Pennsylvania Railroad.**

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division, and Northern Central Railway.

**TIME TABLE.**

In effect May 18th, 1884. Trains leave Sunbury.

EASTWARD,

9.45 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 6.30 p. m.; Baltimore, 5.10 p. m.; Washington, 6.20 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

2.00 p. m.—Day express (daily), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 7.35 p. m.; New York, 10.20 p. m.; Baltimore 7.30 p. m.; Washington, 8.45 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coache through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.30 p. m.—Williamsport Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3 & 5 a. m.; New York 6.10 a. m. Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. On Sundays a through sleeping car will be run; on this train from Williamsp't to Philadelphia. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

9.30 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 7.50 a. m. New York, 11.20 a. m.; Baltimore 7.40 a. m.; Washington, 8.50 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.15 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie, and through Pullman Palace cars to Buffalo via Emporium. On Sundays this train runs to Renovo, with Pullman Palace car to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Renovo.

For Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, (daily except Sundays) with through Pullman Palace car and passenger coaches to Rochester.

10.15—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations. On Sundays this train runs only to Williamsport.

1.10 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations with through passenger coaches to Kane. For Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Rochester and Parlor car to Watkins.

5.25 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m.; Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily, arriving at Sunbury 10.15.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.30 a. m. (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1.10 p. m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 8.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.10 a. m.; Washington, 9.40 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.50 a. m., (daily except sunday) arriving a Sunbury, 5.30 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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